FISCAL NOTE

SB 2152 - HB 2638

March 10, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Allows Jefferson County to increase the maximum local litigation tax in all civil and criminal cases from \$10.00 per case to \$50.00 per case. Current law provides that this tax is to be used exclusively for jail or workhouse construction, re-construction or upgrading, or to retire debt, or for courthouse renovation.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Less than \$100,000/Permissive

Estimate assumes 4,500 cases where the \$40 increase in local litigation tax would apply with approximately 40% rate of collection for the tax.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director